

# WILL REPORT ON ATHLETICS TOMORROW

Every person who is interested in the promotion of clean athletics in Hammond is expected to be present at the mass meeting which will be held Friday evening at 8 o'clock in room 1 of the Hammond superior court.

At the meeting a report will be rendered of the progress made by the ways and means committee, which was appointed by Chairman Ray Seely last week. The committee of which Frank Murray, John Huchel, Mel Monette and Frank Martin. They have been looking up available sites for an athletic field and have also been considering ways in which the construction of a park and the financing of athletic teams can be accomplished.

At the meeting last week the suggestion that the city attend to the financing of the park and club house and make it a soldiers and sailors memorial instead of erecting the memorial hall, which had been under consideration met with instant approval.

At a meeting of the Hammond post of the American Legion, the matter was discussed and the ex-service men are solidly back of the project. It had been understood that quarters in the club house were to be set apart for the use of the legion only.

Petitions are now being circulated which, when signed by sufficient number of citizens, will be presented to the city council asking official action on the proposal. If the city undertakes the park proposition, the athletic fans will still have the problem of financing the teams before them and this will be taken up Friday evening. Every professional man, merchant and manufacturer should make it a point to be on hand tomorrow evening and help start the thing right.

## GARY MASON'S ELECT OFFICERS

At their regular meeting Tuesday evening the Gary Lodge 677 F. & A. M. held its annual election of officers at the Masonic hall on Fifth avenue, electing the following officers to serve during the ensuing year. The installation will take place the later part of this month, the date of which will be announced later.

Harry M. Carringer, W. M.  
J. H. Blair, S. W.  
William J. Ronda, J. W.  
Henry H. Sibley, secretary.  
Charles Brockway, treasurer.  
Mr. Carringer succeeds A. M. Fisher as worshipful master. The installation of officers-elect will take place on Dec. 28.

The following officers were elected at the annual election of Royal Arch chapter No. 129 held Saturday night: E. C. Hooper, high priest.  
Hay D. Davis, king.  
J. H. Blair, scribe.  
John C. Perry, secretary.  
A. Milley Iams, treasurer.

## GARY IS NOW ALMOST AN OASIS

If the Volstead act was not in effect and the city of Gary cared to go into the saloon business, it would not have to spend anything to equip a good sized and handsome bar room.

Across from the city hall on Seventh avenue in the confines of the city market, a dozen loads or so of bar fixtures that have been taken in recent raids on "dry" saloons on the south side have been stored. What will be done with the fixtures has not been divulged.

According to local "boozie hounds" Gary is the driest today that it has been in the history of the city.

## GARY LAD STONE TRAINS

The belated news of an accident to a Pennsylvania freeman reached the police station this morning.

According to Officer Jones of the Pennsylvania, a number of boys have been stoning some trains between 13th and 14th avenue in Gary for several weeks and last Saturday evening a rock thrown by one of the young vandals struck a Pennsy freeman in the mouth and knocked out a half a dozen teeth. The police were asked to assist in arresting the culprit and to break up the practice of stoning trains.

## DISCUSS GARY HOUSING PROBLEMS

At a meeting which was held at the rooms of the Gary Commercial Club this week preliminary steps were taken by members of that organization in probing the housing conditions of the city and then bend their efforts in bettering the present conditions.

Following lengthy discussions at this week's meeting, resolutions were made to keep hammering away at the housing conditions of the city, and one who is to blame for the high cost of building and to make a complete report by the time the spring building season opens, as it is believed by that time, builders, workers and financial institutions will be ready to provide the residences for which there will be an overwhelming demand.



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## Personal and Social News

The civic department of the Hammond Women's Club will meet on Friday afternoon at 2:30 at the home of Mrs. Dan Brown, 305 Truman avenue. Judge Taneil will speak on Americanization.

The Hammond Bohemian club will hold its regular meeting Friday evening at the First M. E. church on Russell street. The speaker for the evening will be Miss Margaret Williams. Supper will be served at 6:30. A large attendance of members and friends is desired. An interesting evening assured.

The Alpha Phi club will meet at the home of Mrs. Harry Smith, 25 Highland street for a one o'clock luncheon tomorrow, Friday, December 10.

Robert Voss, four year old son of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Voss, has returned to his home after undergoing an operation at the Mercy hospital in Gary. He is getting along nicely.

Mrs. S. E. Wilcox and Mrs. J. A. Gavitt visited the United States Health Service Hospital in Chicago, corner of 17th and DuSable boulevard, yesterday afternoon. They went for the purpose of obtaining information concerning the needs of the ex-service men, soldiers and sailors who are in the hospital. There are 500, some wounded in the recent war and others who have contracted disease during their enlistment in the army. They found that records and literature would be very acceptable.

Mrs. Gavitt and Mrs. Wilcox went as an investigating committee for the South Side W. C. T. U., who are planning a Christmas box for these

## LIVE LOCAL NEWS "ADS"

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Now is the time for residence and hold-up insurance. Chas. H. Friedrich Co., 418 Hammond Bldg. Phones 2865, 1926. 12-8-4

Buy novelty boots of real style at the price reduction sale at Hellerman's. Beautiful suede and blue, black and brown, tongueless and laced boots are included. 595 Hohman street. 12-8-1

**NOTICE**  
You can get tickets at Leisenfeld Bros. Cigar Store for Columbia phonograph to be given away at Eagle's dance, Dec. 18th. 12-8-2W

Benefit by the price reduction sale at Hellerman's. Cheap shoes at low price are no bargain. Buy good shoes at low prices. 12-8-2

Madam Lora, "The Girl Mystic" at Hartley Theater, East Chicago, appearing each night this week, only. Answer all questions. Special matinee Friday, ladies. 12-9-1

Quality shoes only are offered at the price reduction sale at Hellerman's. Buster Brown shoes, an example, 595 Hohman street. 12-9-1

**NOTICE TO EAGLES.**  
Members are requested to be present at Eagles Hall Sunday, Dec. 12, 2 p.m., for class initiation and chicken supper. 12-9-2

**ENTERTAINMENT COMMITTEE.**  
Dr. H. W. Cawley has moved his dental office across the street from former location. 12-9-4

**PIANO TUNING.**  
We will help you buy holiday gifts by doing \$1.00 tuning for \$1.00. References. Phone 2061. 12-9-1

Card party given by Liberty Camp 4847 Royal Neighbors at Moose Hall this evening. Public cordially invited. Admission 25c. 12-9-1

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men. They intend sending cake and candy also.

The marriage of Anna Stoll, daughter of Mrs. Burman to Charles Dixon, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Dixon of 440 State street, took place at the bride's home on LaSalle street last evening, December 8, 1921 at 7 o'clock. The bride was attended by the groom's sister, Harriet Dixon and the groom was attended by the bride's brother, Rudolph Stoll. The bride and groom wore blue tulle-trimmed frocks and carried bouquets of roses. The ceremony was performed in the presence of the relatives and a few friends by the Reverend Shaffer of the Lutheran Evangelical church. After the ceremony a prettily arranged wedding dinner was served to about 20 guests. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dixon will be at home to their friends after December 20th at their home, 312 Indiana avenue. They were the recipients of many beautiful gifts.

The F. E. G. club will meet at the home of Mrs. Cutha Foss of 361 Logan street this evening.

The civic department of the Hammond Women's Club will meet at the home of Mrs. Daniel Brown, 305 Truman avenue, tomorrow afternoon at 2:30. The program will be as follows: The Coming Session of Legislature by Mrs. J. M. Turner, a report on the birth registration by Mrs. T. F. Leary.

The South Side W. C. T. U. will meet at the home of Mrs. John Gavitt of 1619 Hyslop Place, Friday afternoon, December 10, at 2:30. The business for the day will be to make arrangements for the Christmas box which they will send to the Soldiers and Sailors' hospital in Chicago. All members of other unions who are interested in the report of the Mesdames Gavitt and Wilcox who visited there yesterday are cordially invited to attend this meeting.

The May Flower club met at the home of Mrs. Clarence Perry, 27 Clinton street, Wednesday afternoon. Pinochle was played and the highest scores were held by Mrs. DeCamp and the lowest by Mrs. Ribicki. A nicely arranged luncheon was served. The next meeting will take place Wednesday afternoon, December 15, at the home of Mrs. J. G. Markel, 211 Becker street.

The Tri-City held a special meeting at the home of Gay Elliott of 327 Indiana avenue, last evening. Plans were completed for the chili con carne supper and bazaar. After the business meeting a social hour was enjoyed during which dainty refreshments were served.

Mrs. A. B. Milby of 1536 Van Buren street has been ill with the tonsillitis for the past few days.

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<b>AUNT JEMIMA'S PANCAKE FLOUR, new stock, pkg.</b>	
<b>SHADY LANE PEACHES—In syrup, No. 2 1/2 can</b>	
<b>FANCY EARLY JUNE PEAS—3 cans for</b>	
<b>FANCY No. 2 TOMATOES—3 cans for</b>	
<b>FANCY SUGAR CORN, 3 cans for</b>	
<b>FANCY B. &amp; M. PARIS CORN, 25c seller, 3 cans</b>	
<b>FANCY OIL SARDINES—10 seller, 3 boxes</b>	
<b>SINCERITY AND VAN CAMP'S MILK, tall cans</b>	
<b>FANCY TOMATOES, No. 2 1/2 cans, 3 for</b>	
<b>FANCY No. 2 1/2 PINEAPPLE, per can</b>	
<b>FANCY No. 2 SLICED PINEAPPLE, 2 cans at</b>	
<b>SINCERITY PORK AND BEANS, No. 2 cans, 2 for</b>	
<b>VAN CAMP'S HOMINY, large size, per can</b>	
<b>VAN CAMP'S SOUPS (Tomato or Vegetable), 2 cans</b>	
<b>BRIAR RIDGE STRAWBERRIES, heavy syrup, per can</b>	
<b>FANCY CREAMERY BUTTER, 1-lb. cartons, at</b>	
<b>SINCERITY OATS, per pkg.</b>	
<b>OSCAR MAYER'S BRISKET BACON, 2 to 3 lb. pieces</b>	

FREE DELIVERY TO ANY PART OF THE CITY

The Women's Democratic club was to have met at Mrs. J. W. Smalley's this evening has been postponed for a week.

Richard Janssen who has been ill for the past two months is somewhat improved and able to have company at the St. Margaret's hospital.

Morris Dobson, who underwent an operation at St. Margaret's hospital last week, is getting along nicely.

Hermine Beckman, who broke her arm a couple of weeks ago, is able to be at work again.

## STOCK MARKET

Allegheny Steel	39
American Can	24 1/2
American Car and Foundry	125
American Locomotive	83
American Smelting	43 1/2
American Steel Foundry	33
American Tl. and Tel.	98 1/2
Anacosta	28 1/2
Baldwin Locomotive	91 1/2
Bethlehem Steel	52 1/2
California Petroleum	21 1/2
Central Leather	38
Chicago and North Western	71 1/2
Chicago, Mil. and St. Paul	30 1/2
Columbia Fuel	23 1/2
Consolidated Gas	79
Corn Products	66 1/2
Crucible Steel	89 1/2
General Electric	118 1/2
General Motors	14 1/2
Illinois Central	87 1/2
Lackawanna Steel	23 1/2
Light Valley	51 1/2
Midvale Steel	21 1/2
N. Y. Air Brake	81 1/2
New York Central	72 1/2
Norfolk and Western	99 1/2
Pure Oil	29 1/2
Pressed Steel Car	84 1/2
Railway Steel Springs	84 1/2
Reading	86 1/2
Republic Iron and Steel	66 1/2
Southern Pacific	92 1/2
Southern Railway	22
Studebaker	42 1/2
Texas Co.	48
U. S. Steel	42 1/2
Westinghouse	42
Willsie Overland	5 1/2
Sinclair Oil	25

**CHICAGO CASH GRAIN.**  
WHEAT—No. 2 northern spring \$1.68 1/2; 3 northern spring, \$1.64.  
Light, No. 2 white, 75 1/2c; 2 yellow, 75c; 3 white, 75 1/2c; 4 yellow, 75 1/2c; 4 white, 75 1/2c; 4 yellow, 74 1/2c; 7 1/2c.

OATS—No. 2 white, 21 1/2c; 3 white, 20 1/2c; 4 white, 20 1/2c; standard, 47c.

**CHICAGO LIVE STOCK.**  
HOGS—Receipts, 16,000; market, weak to 10 lower; bulk, \$9.65@9.90; top, \$10.00; heavy weight, \$9.65@9.90; medium weight, \$9.15@9.45; light weight, \$9.60@9.90; light lights, \$9.35@9.50; heavy packing sows, smooth.

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\$9.50@9.75; packing sows, rough, \$9.25@9.50; pigs, \$8.75@9.50.

CATTLE—Receipts, 16,000; market, steady to lower.

Butcher Cattle—Heifers, \$4.85@5.12; cows, \$4.75@5.00; bulls, \$4.50@5.00.

Cannery and Cutters—Cows and heifers, \$2.50@4.75; canner steers, \$4.00@5.50; veal calves (light and handy-weight), \$9.75@10.50; feeder steers, \$8.75@10.00; stocker steers, \$4.50@8.75; stocker cows and heifers, \$4.50@6.25.

Western Range Cattle—Beef steers, \$5.00@11.00; cows and heifers, \$5.40@9.00.

**CHICAGO VEAL**—50 to 60 lbs., 19c; 70 to 8 lbs., 11c; 80 to 100 lbs., 13c; 140 to 175 lbs., \$9.15@9.40.

**BUTTER**—Receipts, 2,993; market, creamery extra, 45c; firsts, 38 1/2c; packing stock, 15c@25c.

**EGGS**—Receipts, 1,954 cases; current receipts, 66c@72c; ordinary firsts, 63c@67c; firsts, 75c@78c; checks, 40c@48c; dirties, 45c@55c.

**CHEESE**—Twins, new, 22c; daisies, 22 1/2c; young Americas, 25 1/2c; long-horns, 25 1/2c; bricks, 29c.

**LIVE POULTRY**—Turkeys, 25c; chickens, 16c@21c; springs, 24c; roasters, 15c; geese, 25c; ducks, 25c.

**POTATOES**—Receipts, 39 cars; Wisconsin, bulk, \$1.40@1.50.

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## HIGHER TAX MAY NOT BE NECESSARY

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channels and through other corporate avenues. The urgent need for diverting into the treasury the tax obligation that now goes into tax-free securities will be emphasized and he is prepared to champion them as against any plan to further burden already heavily burdened taxpayers in the groups below the wealthy classes.

Houston will insist in deep cuts in the budget of nearly \$50,000,000 to be recently laid before congress.

From the attitude of Secretary Houston today and the voiced objections from congress, it is believed taxpayers in the small wage-earning classes, who are now paying four per cent normal income tax on net incomes below \$3,000 minus the exemptions allowed for dependents, will not suffer additional taxburdens.

Secretary Houston's friends have given him many alternative proposals to submit to congress for its guidance. For example, one item in a long list of other possible sources of new taxes is an estimate that about \$100,000,000 additional revenue can be obtained by

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doubling the stamp taxes. Many elaborate tables have been prepared. Among these is one designed to show that if other expected sources fail as revenue producers it would be possible by increasing the normal income tax rate from 8 to 12 per cent on incomes about \$3,000 to raise more than \$100,000,000 a year.

Secretary Houston has been informed by revenue auditors that wealthy individuals, under the progressive income tax schedule, are now "holding out" a half a billion dollars a year.

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